



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of : **Confirmation No. 3633**
Satoshi SHIDA et al. : Docket No. 2002_0278A
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METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR
HANDLING ARRAYED COMPONENTS

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RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

In response to the Restriction Requirement of September 23, 2003, Applicants hereby elect Group I, which is drawn to a method of making a semiconductor device and is embodied by claims 1-4, 17, 18, 31 and 32.

Having made the required election, a full examination on the merits of the elected group is requested.

Respectfully submitted,

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